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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q58695

Eiji OGAWA

Appln. No.: 09/640,684

Group Art Unit: 2672

Confirmation No.: 7102

Examiner: Javid A. Amini

Filed: August 18, 2000

For: IMAGE DISPLAY METHOD AND IMAGE DISPLAY UNIT

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on
December 16, 2004:

REMARKS

An Examiner's Interview Summary Record (PTO-413) was attached with the Office
Communication dated December 29, 2004.

During the interview, the Examiner, Examiner's supervisor and Applicant's
representative discussed the rejection of the claims, as amended in the Amendment filed March
25, 2004, under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as a follow-up to the Response filed October
28, 2004. In particular, claims 5 and 8 were discussed.

After discussing the application, the Examiner and his supervisor indicated that the
Response should overcome the § 112 rejection, without further amendments to the claims. In the

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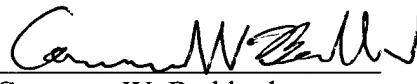
Interview Summary, the Examiner indicates his understanding that " S_{\max} " has a positive value.

Applicant confirms that S_{\max} has a positive value, as shown in FIGS. 2A-4B.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

It is believed that no petition or fee is required. However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Respectfully submitted,



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